

Cancer Trends Progress Report

<http://progressreport.cancer.gov>

The *Cancer Trends Progress Report* summarizes our nation's progress against cancer in relation to Healthy People targets determined by the Department of Health and Human Services. Data were gathered from the National Cancer Institute, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, other Federal agencies, professional groups, and cancer researchers. The report, available online only, is updated every two years and when new data become available.

Report features include

- Downloadable graph images
- Ability to generate printer-friendly custom report
- Source data in Microsoft Excel format
- Step-by-step tutorial



Report Highlights/Introduction Trends-at-a-Glance/Summary Tables

- Overview of progress
- Healthy People targets

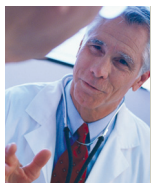
Includes charts that summarize measures, and an overview of the nation's progress against cancer



Prevention

- Tobacco use, industry marketing, and coverage for cessation
- Diet, nutrition, alcohol use, weight, and physical activity
- Secondhand smoke, sun protection

Focuses on factors that have been observed to affect a person's risk of getting cancer: behaviors, selected environmental exposures, policy, and regulations



Early Detection (Screening)

- Breast cancer
- Cervical cancer
- Colorectal cancer

Describes trends in the use of mammography, Pap test, fecal occult blood test, and colorectal endoscopy



Diagnosis

- Incidence
- Stage at diagnosis

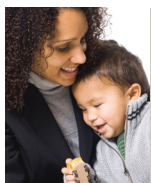
Provides rates of new cancers by cancer site and by racial and ethnic group, as well as stage at diagnosis



Treatment

- Bladder cancer
- Breast cancer
- Colorectal cancer
- Kidney cancer
- Lung cancer
- Ovarian cancer
- Prostate cancer

Summarizes trends in quality of care, clinical trials, patterns of care, emerging treatments, and associated outcomes



Life after Cancer

- Survival
- Costs of cancer care
- Cancer survivors and smoking

Explores 5-year survival rates for some of the leading cancers, as well as the economic impact of cancer treatment costs



End of Life

- Mortality
- Person-years of life lost

Provides data on cancer mortality by major sites, and in terms of years of life lost to cancer and other major causes of death

